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THE DOINGS OF THE MAINE LEGISLATURE.

A Sifting of the Proceedings of the Past Week.

Augusta, Me., March 20.
It is getting well toward the end of the session, where one day may make a great difference in the status of a bill. A report may be received to-day, and accepted by the legislature in one house in the forenoon and in the other house in the afternoon. The same bill may be passed the next morning by one house, to be engrossed, in other words, to have the special exact copy prepared for the final action. The third day the engrossed bill may be passed by both houses to be enacted and go to the governor for his signature. By the last of this week, the bills will be going through the legislature much faster than that. The status of many bills of interest to the readers of the Citizen at the time of this writing, is as follows:—

Signed by the Governor:
The 1911 salaries bill.
Act to regulate assessment of taxes in Maine Forestry District.
To forbid removing packing from journal boxes of railway cars.
To allow persons to petition for guardians for themselves.
To regulate transportation of live fish and game out of the State.
For weekly wage payments.
To regulate investment of savings deposits.
To regulate opening of streets in cities.
For patrolling the railroads through the woods in times of drought.
Amendment to dog law.
Act in relation to Rumford Municipal Court.
To extend charter of Rangeley Lakes and Megalloway R. Co.
Act to regulate fishing in Webb river and tributaries, Carthage, and similar acts for Spear stream, Peru, Hall pond, Paris.
To permit seats for women employes.
To amend guide post law.
To regulate masters in chancery.
For acceptance of gifts from Ex-Governor Robie for insane hospitals.
To authorize Norway village corporation to construct sewers.
Act to authorize the necessary transfer of property in a consolidation of the Baptist and Free Baptist denominations.
To allow selectmen in large towns to be paid \$5.00 per day.
To repeal law for census of the feeble minded.
To allow street railroads to grant free transportation to policemen and firemen.
To accept the Gregory gift for promotion of scientific apple orcharding.
Authorizing temporary loan in 1911.

Passed by both Houses, to be enacted:
To pay expenses of commission to determine plans for state to Gen. Oliver O. Howard.
Appropriation for Maine Seed Improvement Association.
Appropriation for State assessors' information about wild lands.
Passed by House, to be enacted:
Appropriation for emergency epidemic fund.
Appropriation for State survey commission.
Passed by one House, to be enacted:
By the other house, to be engrossed:
To amend white perch law.
To regulate opening of city streets.
To allow municipal officers to order change of location of a street railway in a street.
Act to allow workmen on roads on private estates to have a lien on the lands.
Passed by both Houses, to be engrossed:
The fish and game department appropriation.
Appropriation for normal school in Rumford.
The pure milk bill.
For compulsory sealing of milk cans.
To allow one selectman to call a

town meeting to fill a vacancy on the board.
For close season on milk, muskrat, fisher, sable and otter.
To limit the number of pulled grouse, etc., to be taken.
To legalize clam farming.
To change name of Maine Association of Opticians.
To allow camp meetings to charge an admission fee.
Passed by the Senate, to be engrossed:
To regulate fishing in tributaries of Bryant's Pond.
Passed by the House, to be engrossed:
To regulate fishing in Abbott Pond in Summer.
To regulate fishing in tributaries of Bryant's Pond.
To annex Fryeburg Academy Grant to the town of Mason.
To make agriculture commissioner the State sealer of weights and measures, ex-officio.
To exclude strawberry plants from the nursery stock law.
To allow electric railways to be located outside the highways when such location will better serve the public.
To consolidate trustees of State school for boys and Industrial school for girls. The bill provides for one woman on the board.
To require boats on inland waters to carry lights at night.
To compel telephone companies to make wire connections with adjacent companies.
Passed by Senate, to be engrossed:
To allow municipal officers to regulate street railway locations.
To regulate the making of municipal ordinances.
Appropriation for State Board of Health's epidemic fund.
Appropriation for State survey commission.
Appropriation for State school for boys.
Appropriation for fish hatcheries.
To regulate sealing of weights and measures.
The pure milk bill.

Laid on the table in the Senate:
Act to establish Maine Historical Commission.
Appropriation for team hire of Steamboat Inspector John R. McDonnell. These were tabled by Senator Milliken of Arundel.

Laid on table in Senate, on motion of Senator Staples of Knox. Appropriation for State school for feeble minded.

Indefinitely postponed in both Houses.
More regulation of commercial fertilizers.

The bill for State senatorial reapportionment has been passed by the Senate to be engrossed. It was reported out from the committee by Senator Allen of Washington county. No change is made in the present apportionment, Hancock county retaining two Senators while Oxford county with more population is kept with one Senator.

A bill to allow Rumford village corporation to raise money for street cleaning and garbage removal was introduced under a suspension of the rules last Friday in the House and passed to be engrossed.

The bill to incorporate Rumford General Hospital has been passed to be engrossed and get down to the stage of more routine unless somebody raises an unexpected objection. It gets an appropriation this year for State aid.

The bill to authorize the county taxes for 1911 and 1912 has been reported from the committee on county taxation. In the case of Oxford county the amount is the same for each of the two years, being \$30,000. This is assessed by the county commissioners upon the different municipalities and wild lands on the basis of the State assessors' valuations.

The Senate adopted a motion of Senator Staples of Knox for indefinite

LOCAL HISTORY.

Maj. Amos Hills. His Residence in Bethel.

Incidental Memoranda—By Leonard B. Chapman. Number 97.

IN THREE PARTS—PART THREE.

TO BE CONTINUED.

I have shown that in the month of September, 1834, Maj. Amos Hills sold his farm in Bethel to Joseph Sanborn, one of those brothers who settled in Bethel, coming from the town of Standish, Cumberland county, the other two named respectively, John and David, both older, who made settlements on the road from Bethel Hill to Middlebury, a little westerly of the site of the Town House, or Kendall's Ferry near by. The history of Bethel gives the names of the wives of the three brothers, names of children and dates of births of each, otherwise it is lamentably reticent. The grave yard memorial slabs, however, standing in the nearby ancient "God's half acre," so neglected that even the State law relative to fencing such places is ignored, lets in a little light from which it appears that—

Joseph Sanborn died Sept. 11, 1854, aged 67 years.
Livy (Verrill) his wife, died July 7, 1861, aged 64 years.
Three daughters have memorial slabs.

John Sanborn, a son of Joseph born Oct. 8, 1837, succeeded his father in possession of the homestead, who departed this life June 23, 1910, aged 73 years, concerning whom the Citizen published an interesting obituary, June 30, of that year.

What indeed Maj. Hills to dispose of his Bethel homestead and locate upon the westerly side of Sunday river in the town of Newry does not appear on record nor is there a tradition relating to the matter. The Newry farm was located not far over the Bethel and Newry dividing line. It is as it now appears a large, plainly finished structure containing apparently four large rooms on the ground floor and two story—anything but a cheerful appearing place. It stood originally upon the opposite side of the way but was moved to its present location.

It was at one time occupied by Cooper York, and it was in his house while he occupied it that the awful tragedy took place, when a young female inmate of the domicile was shot by another inmate who sought her hand in marriage, having waited for her to mature sufficiently for the celebration of the event, and being refused, ended her worldly career and his own by calling to his assistance a shotgun.

After the death of Maj. Hills' wife, March 4th, 1831, whose maiden name was Mary Chase the Major went to live at Bethel, N. H., with his daughter, Rowena, who was then the wife of Robert Ingalls, Esq., where he departed this life Sept. 27th, 1834.

OBITUARY.

From the Christian Mirror, November 27th, 1834.

Died in Bethel, N. H., Amos Hills, Esq., aged 64 years.

He possessed many valuable traits of character; and his memory will be long and fondly cherished. To a vigorous and discriminating mind he added the improvements received from reading and reflection. But although he was quick to perceive the excellencies and defects of other men he was magnanimous to tolerate neither in an evanescent or censorious spirit. He was willing that the good men should live after them, and that the evil should be tolerated with them in the grave.

In his intercourse with his fellow men he was frank and open, and entertained an instinctive abhorrence of all concealments or duplicity. His manner was not always appreciated by strangers, but of those who knew him it seemed to him rather confident.

He was a man of much decision. As a magistrate, a citizen, a parent, this valuable trait of character was often brought into exercise. He was not rash, nor hasty, and seldom did he commit himself or his cause by deciding without deliberation. But generally was the most prominent trait in his character. Few men have thought less of show or pretence, or glorification than

LABORATORY ANNEX FOR GOULD'S ACADEMY

Is Almost in Sight. Quick Response to Recent Appeal.

In a recent issue of the Citizen attention was called to the urgent need of an annex to Gould's Academy to be used for a chemical and physical laboratory. A subscription list was opened through the columns of the paper, and an invitation extended to all interested persons to "come down and help us." That the call has met with quick and generous response will be seen from the list below.

Heartily thanks are extended in behalf of the institution, to all who have contributed, and the invitation is continued to all friends and alumni and friends of the school to aid in this much needed equipment for the old Academy. It is estimated that the completed annex will cost \$1,200.00, hence there is still opportunity for many more contributors to have a part in the work.

Any sum, however small, will be gratefully received and made to serve a worthy purpose.

CONTRIBUTORS TO DATE.

Charles K. Fox,	\$100.00
J. G. Gehring,	100.00
J. M. Philbrook,	40.00
A. E. Herrick,	25.00
J. U. Worthington,	10.00
E. C. Bowler,	20.00
D. S. Hastings,	20.00
P. B. Tuell,	20.00
Agnes H. Straw,	20.00
Seth Walker,	20.00
P. L. Edwards,	20.00
N. R. Springer,	20.00
Mrs. O. M. Mason,	20.00
M. C. Hillings,	10.00
M. M. Hastings,	5.00
W. E. Besserman,	5.00
J. H. Hastings,	5.00
P. B. Merrill,	5.00
E. C. Park,	10.00
H. A. Packard,	5.00
E. E. Whitely,	5.00
Ernest Walk,	10.00
N. P. Brown,	10.00
Total to date,	\$510.00

A GIFT TO GOULD'S ACADEMY

Principal P. E. Hanson has received from the Copley Art Gallery of Boston an oil portrait of Abraham Lincoln, a gift to Gould's Academy from Charles K. Fox of Haverhill, Mass. It was Mr. Fox who generously headed the subscription list for a Laboratory Fund, and this new gift places the school under still greater obligations to him.

Mr. Fox was born and bred in Oxford County, and left Gould's Academy in 1871 to make his own way in the world. By his indefatigable energy and sterling honesty, combined with rare business foresight and that subtle power known as initiative, he has made for himself an enviable name and place in the business world. It is much to his credit that amid the honors and success that have come to him, he still keeps a warm corner in his heart for the friends of his youth and for the old school that gave him guidance and inspiration in his formative days.

All friends of the school are grateful to this loyal son of the institution for his interest in and loyalty to his Alma Mater.

FIREMEN'S BANQUET AT RUMFORD.

On Friday evening, at the hotel, the firemen held their annual banquet. There were thirty-two present, ex-firemen and invited guests. A most excellent banquet consisting of—
Soup
Oysters on the half shell
Fish
Turkey
Celery
Cranberry sauce
Lobster salad
Ice cream and coffee
was served by Manager Stevens, after which speeches were made by Chief Carroll, Dr. Stannard, N. P. Jerselson and others. The occasion was much enjoyed by all present.

CONCERT IN HONOR OF ST. PATRICK.

Friday Evening, at Rumford, a Great Success.

On Friday evening at Cheney Opera House, Rumford, the St. Patrick's Concert was given by the parishoners of St. Athanasius Church, and was most widely patronized. There was hardly a seat left in the house. The program was as follows:

Monologue, Death's Dream,
Orpheus Filiault
Song, Nymphs and Fawns,
Mrs. Anthony Barrett
Song, My Irish Home,
David Cunningham
Picture Plays,
Song, Let Erin Remember the Days of Old,
Anthony Barrett
Song, Colleen Bawn,
Helle Armour
Orchestra.

LIMERICK BOY

A farce in one act.
Paddy Miles, Mr. Filiault
Dr. Conter, Leslie Baker
Harry, his son, E. A. Sheehy
John, the gardener, Frank Clark
Henben, Jas. McKenna
Mrs. Fidget, Miss Mary Hegarty
Jane, her daughter, Miss Annie Meehan
Picture Plays,
Watnates, Singing Novelly,
The Five Musical Smiths,
Cornet Flenda

The concert was much enjoyed, each part was well rendered. The farce was well played and provoked considerable mirth, especially when the curtain came down on Dr. Sheehy's shoulder, just after he had received a bouquet. The soloists were all deserving of praise, each in their own part were especially good.

GOIN' TO THE MEN'S SUPPER? SURE.

Wouldn't Miss It For a Quarter.

The masculine element of the Congregational church, who acquired such an enviable and unparalleled reputation as cooks one year ago have resolved to lower their record. The church dining room will be the place of the contest, Thursday at 6:15 p. m., will be the hour and all persons who eat and can gain admittance will be the judges.

If they don't pull that record down a peg it won't be for lack of preparation. We hear it on the side that John Philbrook and Dr. Tuell in their persistent and patient practicing for the pastry class have found the bottom of many a flour barrel, while the rats, dogs, pigs and other domestic animals of many another contestant have been suffering from the goat to these many moons.

They'll all be there with the choicest products of their unhandwork and for the small sum of 25 cents, you may find out whether weeks of weary wrangling in the realm of pie 'n' things hath made 'em any better cooks.

TEMPERANCE MEETING AT BETHEL.

A Citizens' Temperance meeting, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., will be held in the Congregational church next Sunday evening, Mar. 26, beginning at 7:30. There will be choruses and solo singing and it is expected the Herrick Orchestra will assist, if possible. An offering will be taken for the cause. The meeting will be addressed by E. C. Park, Esq., and E. C. Bowler. A most cordial invitation is extended to all to come and hear the facts concerning the most vital question before the people of Maine today.

NOTICE.

"I hear Jones, the sea captain, is in hard luck. He married a girl, and she ran away from him."
"Yes; he took her for a mate, but she was a shipper."—Pittston Tiger.

Shake Into Your Show

Allen's Foot-Powder, the antiseptic powder, relieves hot, tired, aching, swollen, sweating feet, and makes walking easy. Takes the sting out of corns and bunions. Over 15,000 testimonials. Sold everywhere. Don't accept any cheap imitations. Sample FREE. Address, Allen B. Olinstead, Jersey, N. Y.

WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices here and they will be read in 5,000 Oxford County homes—4 lines 1 week, 25c. 3 weeks, 50c.

PINK AND GREEN TOURMALines.—Very fine and for sale very cheap. Inquire of HARRY DUDLEY, Bethel, Me.

4-3 ft.

FOR SALE—7 H. P. Fairbanks gas engine in first class condition. Also 75 light dynamo, 5 h. p. motor and 1.5 h. p. motor. Any or all will be sold at a bargain. Address, E. C. Bowler, Bethel, Maine.

CHARLES' HAIR STORE.

518 Congress St., Portland, Maine. Manufacturer of artistic human hair goods of every description. Goods sent on approval to responsible parties. 1-1-11 621-S.

FOR SALE—Three of four tons of

hay at 13 Chapman St., OLIVE S. GROVER, Bethel, Me.

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DAIRYMAN ATTENTION.

I have bought the good will and stock of Chester Wheeler, consisting of Calf Feeders, Calf Cordial, Cow Relief, Cow Tonic, etc. See advertisement elsewhere. ELMER H. YOUNG, Bethel, Me.

2-23 St. p.

UNLIMITED OPPORTUNITIES

for everybody to sell Health and Accident Insurance, to devote whole, or part of time for a reliable Old Line Company. Write immediately for territory, and terms to P. F. Keating, State Agent, Fidelity Bldg., Portland, Maine. 3-9-11. B.

TEACHERS WANTED.

Are you looking for a more desirable position this spring? Write us; we can tell you how to find it. Good opportunities for experienced teachers. New England Teachers' Agency, Dept. A, Y. M. C. A. Bldg., Portland, Maine. 3-9-11. B.

WANTED—Woman in kitchen

once. Inquire at Prospect Hotel, Bethel, Me. 3-9-11.

A Dreadful Sight

to H. J. Hanson, of Presville, N. Y., was the fever sore that had plagued his life for years in spite of many remedies he tried. At last he used Buckle's Arnica Salve and wrote: "It has entirely healed with scarcely a scar left." Heals Burns, Scalds, Eczema, Cuts, Bruises, Skellings, Sprains and Piles like magic. Only 25c at (Chas. Fernald's, Nathan Reynolds' or Canning; H. J. Reynolds' of Middlebury; C. A. Gardiner's of Dixfield.

BABY CHICKS—From thoroughbred

B. C. White Leghorns, Wyckoff Strain, 10 cents each. Eggs for hatching, 15 for \$1.00.

MAPLE LAKE FARM,

Bethel, Me.

3-23 St. p.

FIFTY DOLLARS for Hammered

typewriter in good condition. Address Box 304, Bethel Me. 3-8-11.

FOR SALE—Two pairs of heavy

work horses, 1 pair bay mares, weight 2,500, 1 pair blacks, weight 2,200. Inquire of

H. KING,

Prospect Hotel, Bethel, Me.

3-16-11.

NOTICE.

My wife, Ella H. Coolidge, having left my bed and board without cause or provocation I hereby notify the public that I will pay no bills contracted by her after this date.

J. F. COOLIDGE.

Bethel, Maine, Mar. 23, 1911.

3-23 St. p.

Not A Word Of Scandal

marred the call of a neighbor on Mrs. W. F. Spang, of Mansville, Ky., who said: "She told me Dr. King's New Life Pills had cured her of obstinate kidney trouble, and made her feel like a new woman." Easy, but rare remedy for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Only 35c. at Chas. Fernald's, Nathan Reynolds' of Middlebury; C. A. Gardiner's of Dixfield.



800 YARDS Mercerized Homespuns

We have just received from the importers an extensive line of Mercerized Homespuns. As the importer wished to unload his stock, we are able to offer you this regular 25 cent material, 27 inches wide, for 12 1/2 cents. It is a very pretty fabric and we have it in a large assortment of colors, including blue, pink, green, white, flesh, tan, cream, lavender, Chinese blue, catwax, and old rose. If you cannot come, send for samples, before they are sold out.

All mail orders given prompt attention.

THOMAS SMILEY,
Norway, Maine.

GRAND HILL.

"Spring is coming up the valley, now the grasses grow her track, and the little sleeping rivulets and such hidden drowsy head. Master Nature's tears are weaving drowsy lines of every hue, for the daffodils the yellow for the wildflowers soft, pale blue. All the pretty woods are watching for the sunny's return; With the sun and wind against him, how can winter help defeat?"

Mrs. M. A. Jordan and daughter, Marion, from Portland, visited Mrs. Marion Tyler, over Sunday.

Miss Martha Tyler visited at her home in Norway, Sat. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Hammond from Bethel, called on friends in the place, Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Briggs has returned to her home in Albany, after a few weeks stay at the home of her brother, Fred Briggs.

Miss F. Brown from West Bethel called at the home of her brother, Fred Brown, recently.

Brins Hatchinson was ill last week.

MARSHALL DISTRICT.
A great many people were sorry to learn of the death of Osa Fernald. He will be greatly missed.

Nearly everyone around here is on the sick list, even Briggs' family have been sick, but are better. Mrs. Lydia Fernald is very sick, also Mrs. Rand and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Lela Andrews were at C. H. Fernald's, recently.

Miss Barker called on Osa Briggs, last Saturday.

Michael Lord met with quite a painful accident recently, walking along by his sled, his foot slipped under the runner, the sled passing over his foot, injuring it badly. He is unable to step on his foot.

EAST BETHEL.
Mrs. Irving Kimball has returned home to Bethel.

Mr. F. W. Burdett and O. R. Fernald recently visited Walter Lodge, R. 2, at F. of Norway.

Mr. F. J. Bells of Sanford recently returned home and vicinity with a patient horse, which found a ready man.

Mr. F. R. Howe and W. H. Orchard of Locke's Mills are looking a car of potatoes this week, paying 30c per bushel. Mr. Howe went to Portland with a morning last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Burdett celebrated the past week, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Lane of Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Burdett of Norway and Mr. Fernald of West Bethel.

New Spring Goods.

Miss Thomas and Mrs. Wiley have returned from Boston with all the latest styles in

Shall Goods, Belts, Neckwear, House Dresses, Pins, New Styled Ribbons in Plaids and Stripes; also a large assortment in Stamped Goods, and other articles too numerous to mention.

GIVEN A CALL.

L. M. STEARNS,

BETHEL.

MAINE.

BETHEL AND VICINITY.

Lost you forget, it's a men's supper.

Mrs. A. E. Herrick was in Portland, Saturday.

Miss Jean Taylor spent last week with friends in North Newry.

Dr. and Mrs. J. U. Gehring were in Portland, a few days last week.

Miss Bertha Thurston visited relatives in Berlin, N. H., recently.

Miss Adelaide Russell is visiting her grandparents at North Waterford.

Mrs. Lovejoy of Norway was the guest of Mrs. Darke last week.

Mrs. A. E. Vail and Mrs. F. C. Bennett were in Norway, Saturday shopping.

Mrs. Herbert Chapman of North Newry, took dinner with Mrs. A. E. Vail, Monday.

Miss Daisy Dixon was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Byrd in Berlin, N. H., Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Jodrey have been very ill. Mrs. Jodrey is still confined to her bed.

Henry Taylor is driving Van's tractor for this week, while Mr. Van is spending the week in Boston.

Mrs. Frank Bennett and son, Roy, spent a few days last week, with her mother, Mrs. A. E. Vail.

Harry Darval, who has been chief at the hotel for the past four years, has finished his labor there.

Mrs. Wharton Smith has returned to her home in Baltimore, Md., after spending several months in Bethel.

Miss Eva Twaddle was the guest of her brother, Dr. W. B. Twaddle and wife in Fryeburg, last week.

Mrs. Mary Needham is moving from Mr. H. A. Packard's rent to Miss Stearns' home on Paradise street.

Miss Alice Bennett has returned to school, at the Academy, after spending her vacation at her home in Newry.

Mr. H. C. Barker of the National Soldiers' Home, Texas, came to Bethel, Saturday, for an indefinite period.

Miss Beulah Andrews went to Camden, last week, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Packard.

Mrs. J. L. Finney is attending the military exercises in Boston this week and purchasing her new spring goods.

Mr. Ebenezer Lowe, who has been visiting his brother, Mr. Wm. Lowe, has returned to his home in Norway.

Miss Vivian A. Dayley, teacher in the Norway school, is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. E. C. Dewey.

Mr. G. R. Richardson of Beverly, Mass., and Mrs. W. B. Lovejoy of Norway, Mass., have been visiting their father, Maine R. Coburn.

The girls' first team of basket ball, of O. A., will play the "off" with Berlin High School girls, at Gerham, N. H., on Friday evening, Mar. 23.

The entertainment and dance of the Norway evening the 19th, was postponed on account of sickness, and will be given at Orange Hall, East Bethel, Saturday evening, March 25.

The friends of Mr. Samuel Bates, formerly a resident of Bethel, now residing in West Paris, will learn with regret of the death of his wife last week, also in loss of his central illness and that his recovery is considered very doubtful, by his physicians.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Billings of Bethel will observe the fifth anniversary of their wedding at their home on Meadbrook street, on Monday evening, Mar. 27. In connection with the occasion they wish to state to any friends who will get lost in conversation to attend in the evening, that they will be gladly received in the afternoon.

News has been received here of the death of Mr. Edgar R. Brown, which occurred at the home of his sister in Northbrook, Ohio, following an illness of a few weeks. Mr. Brown was a native of Maine and was the son of the late George and Jane Brown, and was of our town residents in Bethel's Academy. The deceased was still a few years ago a resident of Bethel, where he was born. After returning to Northbrook he was elected a member of the Ohio legislature, and was one of the Ohio representatives. Mr. Brown was one of the best men and was held in the highest esteem by all who knew him.

Dr. Baker is in Worcester, Mass.

Mr. George Goddard was at home, Sunday.

Mrs. A. S. Gehring was in Norway, Monday.

The best yet—Thursday, March 23, at 8:15, Congregational church.

Mr. Warren Emery was in Lewiston, Saturday, on business.

Miss Edith Kimball returned from Bangor last week.

Mr. Fred Allen of Millsfield, N. H., was in Bethel, Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Curtis went to Lewiston, last Friday, returning Saturday.

Mrs. Russell has been entertaining her sister from Waterford.

Miss Sadie Stuart of Gorham, N. H., was in Bethel, Sunday.

The spring term of the Academy opened Tuesday.

Miss Evelyn Mason of Gorham, N. H., is visiting at Mr. Tibben Darke's.

Miss Elsie Richardson visited relatives in Norway, recently.

Mrs. O. M. Mason went to Portland, Tuesday, to visit her son and family.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Horace Annas, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. S. Hutchins is confined to the house by illness.

Mrs. Mason of Berlin, N. H., has been visiting her son, Herman, and family.

Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Scott Robertson have been ill, but are improving.

Mr. John Carter, who has been surveying in Canada, is home for a short time.

Mrs. Marlin Stowell and daughter, Mrs. Allen returned to Portland, Sunday.

Miss Lyle Blanchard of Gorham, N. H., was the guest of Mrs. O. M. Mason last week.

Miss Dorothy Benton has returned from New York, where she has been visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Pease have moved into the house owned by the late D. H. Graver.

Mr. Walter Emery and men, who have been lumbering in Millsfield, N. H., broke camp, Monday.

Miss Alice Mason is spending a few months with Miss Lucile Boothby in Melrose, Mass.

Mrs. Plak and daughter, who have been stopping with Mrs. Edmund Holt, went away Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Teel, Sunday, attended the funeral of their uncle, Mr. Sylvanus Mason of Northwest Bethel.

Harold Chandler returned from Newry, Monday, where he spent part of his vacation with his parents.

The Ladies' Club will be omitted this week, on account of the men's supper, to be served Thursday.

Mrs. Warren Emery, who has been boarding at Mr. Ralph Kigore's in North Newry this winter, is spending the week at Mr. Irving Smith's.

Mrs. Carl Wright and son, Kenneth, of Milton, N. H., came to Bethel, Monday, where they were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. I. H. Wright.

Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. Lela Walker and Miss Margaret Walker, whose father died at his home in Oxford, last week, after a brief illness of pneumonia.

Miss Gladys Wood is seriously ill at her home in Portland. Miss Wood has been a frequent guest of Mrs. W. H. Young and Mrs. Nancy A. Burrows, and has many friends in and about Bethel.

As previously announced a notice of Ladies' services will begin at the Congregational church on Sunday, Apr. 2. Rev. Mr. Marsh of Cumberland Mills will assist the pastor. Other outside subject is also expected and it is hoped that the meetings will be well attended.

The citizens received a postal card from Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Johnson a few days ago. It was dated "on the 19th, Feb. 23," and stated that they were in across at Auburn that afternoon. The weather was from 25 to 30 degrees above, and they were having a most delightful trip.

SHIRT WAISTS.

The Spring showing of Shirt Waists now on display offers many good values at the low prices, at which they are marked.

Well made, good materials and stylish designs all help to make the **Thelma Waists** popular sellers.

50 to \$3.50.

In the better waists only one of a pattern, so you may be sure no one else will have one just like yours.

EDWARD KING,

BETHEL.

MAINE.

Mr. Richard White, who has spent several months in Bethel was one of the six who were killed by the explosion of a logging engine in Estabrook, Ore. March 2.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Twaddle and E. C. Bowler of Bethel, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thurston, and Miss Katharine Day of Newry, attended the prize speaking at Hebrew Academy, last Saturday evening.

Mr. Emory Young, a former resident of Bethel, passed away at his home in Fryeburg, last week, after a short illness of bronchitis. The remains were brought to Locke's Mills, and placed in the tomb. Mrs. Young is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Libby, in Gorham, N. H.

Who gets the gold mine is a question which is being discussed since the passing away of Mr. Mason. It was first claimed that it would go to Mr. Gilman P. Bean, who was 85 years of age on Dec. 23, 1910. Later it was learned that Mr. William F. Brown was older than Mr. Bean by two months, being 85 on the 8th of last October. And finally it is learned that Mr. Sewelle has passed his 80th birthday. A question has been raised, however, as to the citizenship of the latter. If he is eligible as to citizenship the case will go to him, otherwise to Mr. Brown.

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Alive and Kicking.
Wife—You are different from my first husband.
Husband—Yes, I am, thank goodness. I'm alive; he's dead.—Spokane Spokesman Review.

A Possible Danger.
"There is danger of his dying for love."
"Nonsense!"
"Well, the rich heiress has refused him."
"What of that?"
"He may starve."—Browning's Magazine.

HOLYOKE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
Boston, Mass.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.

Real Estate, \$3,400.00
Mortgage Loans, 24,000.00
Stocks and Bonds, 187,007.60
Cash in Office and Bank, 47,119.50
Agents' Balances, 27,220.18
Interest and Rent, 12,002.70
All other Assets, 205.50

Grass Assets, \$1,012,000.00
In fact losses not admitted.

Admitted Assets, \$1,012,734.85
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.

Net Capital Losses, \$1,012.57
Unearned Premiums, 512,713.77
All other Liabilities, 25,000.00
Total Liabilities, 1,540,226.34

Surplus over all Liabilities, \$472,508.51

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$1,540,226.34

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION BETHEL NATIONAL BANK, At Bethel in the State of Maine, at the close of business, March 7th, 1911.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$51,445.96
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	10,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	478.13
Bonds, Securities, etc.	35,385.00
Banking house, Furniture and Fixtures	487.50
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	11,483.41
Due from approved Reserve Agents	16,201.83
Checks and other Cash Items	69.20
Notes of other National Banks	658.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents	109.17
Specie	5,126.40
Legal-tender Notes	950.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	500.00
Total	\$133,093.60

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	2,440.95
National Bank Notes outstanding	16,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check	85,702.65
Total	\$133,093.60

STATE OF MAINE, COUNTY OF OXFORD, SS:

I, Ellery C. Park, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELLERY C. PARK, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1911.

Correct—Attest:
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BROAD MINDEDNESS.

In men whom men condemn as ill I find so much of goodness still, In men whom men pronounce divine I find so much of sin and blot I hesitate to draw a line Between the two—where God has not.

—Joseph Miller.

THE BLESSINGS OF TO-DAY.

Strange, we never prize the rains Till the sweet voiced birds have flown; Strange, that we should slight the violets Till the lovely flowers are gone; Strange, that summer skies and sunshine Never seem one half so fair As when winter's snowy pinions Shake the white down in the air.

Lips from which the seal of silence None but God can roll away, Never blossomed in such beauty As adorns the mouth to-day. And sweet birds that freight our memory With their beautiful perfume, Comes to us in sweeter accents Through the portals of the tomb.

Let us gather up the sunbeams Lying all around our path. Let us keep the wheat and roses, Casting out the thorns and chaff; Let us find our sweetest comfort In the blessings of the day. With a patient hand removing All the briars along the way.

—Churchman.

A LEGEND.

There has come to my mind a legend, A thing I had half forgot, And whether I read it or dreamed it— Ah, well, it matters not.

It is said that in heaven at twilight A great bell softly awings, And man may listen and harken To the wonderful music that rings.

If he puts from his heart's inner chamber— All the passion, pain and strife, Heartaches and weary longings That thrub in the pulses of life.

He be thrusts from his soul all hatred, All thoughts of wicked things, He can hear in the holy twilight How the bell of the angels rings.

And I think there is in this legend, If we open our eyes to see, Somewhat of an inner meaning, My friend, to me and you.

Let us look in our hearts and question— "Can pure thought enter in To a soul if it be already The dwelling of thoughts of sin?"

So, then, let us ponder a little, Let us look in our hearts, and see If the twilight bell of the angels Could ring for you and me.

—From the Light of Reason.

UNSPOKEN WORDS.

The kindly words that rise within the heart, And thrill it with their sympathetic tone, But die ere spoken, fail to play their part, And claim a merit that is not their own.

The kindly word unspoken is a sin— A sin that wraps itself in purest guise, And tells the heart that doubting, looks within, That not in speech, but thought, the virtue lies.

But 'tis not so; another heart may thrill For that kind word, as Hagar in the wild— Poor banished Hagar—prayed a well might burst From out the sand, to save her parching child.

And loving eyes that cannot see the mind Will watch the unexpected movement of the lip, Ah! can you let its cutting silence wind Around that throat and sear the lip like a whipl?

Unspoken words, like treasures in a mine, Are valueless till we give them birth; Like unfound gold their hidden beauty shines, Which God hath made to bless and gild the earth.

How and 'twould be to see the master's hand Strike glorious notes upon a voiceless lute! But, oh! what pain when, at God's own command, A heart-string thrills with kindness But is muted!

Then hide it not, the music of the soul, Your sympathy expressed with kindly voice; But let it like a shining river roll To desert dry-to hearts that would rejoice.

Oh, let the sympathy of kindly words

CANTON HAPPENINGS

As Observed and Told by the
Citizen Reporter.

Mrs. A. P. York has been visiting relatives in Auburn.

Mrs. Myrtle Jones of Bangor is a guest of her mother, Mrs. Jean Mayford and family.

Shirley Tirrell and Geo. Rowe have returned home from Kingfield.

Miss Alice Nulty has been in Boston, the past week.

Four candidates were initiated at a special meeting of John A. Hodge Hall Corps, last week and refreshments served.

Lynna Libby of Peru is a guest of his cousin, Leon Harding and wife.

Miss Sara W. Vining has been a guest of Mrs. C. H. Gilbert.

Sadie Ingersoll and Ruth Richardson have been visiting relatives at Livermore Falls.

W. L. Roberts is expected home from the West, about the first of April.

Miss Minnie Swasey returned home Saturday, having visited relatives in Lewiston on her way home from Washington, D. C.

G. H. Strout, C. E. Tripp and John Briggs have been at South Paris, attending court, the past week.

A. A. Eastman is recovering from his recent illness.

Arthur Packard has been home from Kingfield, on a visit.

Mercy Ann Ellis passed away at the Hartford town farm, last Friday.

Miss Ellis had been an inmate of the farm for a long period of years and was 73 years of age. The funeral was held Sunday, at the home of a relative, Milton Leavitt of Livermore.

Mr. and Mrs. Abbott A. Russell have engaged the Blakes rent on High St.

Julia Hayden, Ella Walker and Vera Adams have returned from Farmington Normal School, for ten days' vacation.

Miss Anne Johnson of Howe's Corner is a guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Ellis and family.

Miss M. Louise Staples has purchased the stand on High St., occupied by A. E. Johnson and wife.

The temperance concert which was to have been given at the United Baptist church last Sunday evening has been postponed to next Sunday evening.

The worst storm for the winter struck Canton last Thursday and the roads were nearly impassable. The R. F. D. men missed their first trip for the winter.

L. A. Nickerson of Winthrop has been a guest of O. M. Richardson and family.

Mrs. Frank Snell of Denysville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Snell and family.

Pompanah Robekah Lodge will confer the degree on several candidates at its next meeting, March 28th, and refreshments will be served.

Dr. Charles Burgess of Lawrence, Mass., with a party of ten friends have been spending a few days at his bungalow on the shore of the lake. Sunday they entertained a party of men from the village.

Miss Jennie Dawson arrived home Saturday, from Waverle Mass., where she has been very ill. She is slowly improving in health and will remain at home until she has recovered.

Mrs. Clarence Allen has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Beatrice Howell of Rumford.

Frank Mayo is in very poor health. A. P. Russell, Jr. has recovered from his late illness.

Miss Jennie Adams has gone to Livermore Falls to work for J. G. Cool. She desires the millinery season.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bishop and family expect to move onto their new farm soon for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Ellen Tibben are moving from Livermore Falls and will live with them and assist in carrying on the farm.

Mrs. Clara Cox has gone to Lewiston to work.

Joseph H. Cook of Mattitson, Mass., a former Canton resident is seriously ill in a hospital in Boston, where he recently submitted to a surgical operation for gall stones, 160 being removed. Some hopes are entertained for his recovery.

At a special meeting of the Dieren Fire Co., it was voted to purchase one hundred feet of hose and rubber mits for the women.

Geo. L. Wadlin and family are moving to the new over Reynolds' drug store.

A St. Patrick entertainment was given at the last meeting of Evergreen Chapter, O. E. S.

Mrs. Maurice Howe of Livermore Falls has been a guest at the Richardson household.

Round for the poor, the friendless, and the weak, And He will bless you! He who struck the chords Will strike another when in turn you seek.

—From the Hymn Book.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 1911.

ARMORY BUILDING SOLD.

Arrangements have been completed for the sale of the Armory building and lot on Park street to the Lewiston Daily Sun by P. E. Stanley, the well known automobile manufacturer of Lewiston, Maine. The city of Lewiston occupies the second and third floors as an armory while the ground floor has been under lease to the Sun for some time. The Sun has a part of its space to the Royal Press, publishers of the Sunday Journal, and job printers. As soon as the Royal Press can find suitable quarters the Sun will use the additional floor space to enlarge its office. The city will continue to occupy the second and third floors for the armory as usual. The transfer of this property will be made about April first. Last year the Sun secured the vacant lot between the New England Telephone Co. building and the armory so that the lot will now have a frontage of one hundred feet on Park street, between the Bell and the Telephone buildings.

SUNDAY RIVER.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hurl, who have been visiting at Mrs. J. J. Hurl's, returned to their home in Manchester, Monday. J. J. Hurl has finished building wood for lumber and is now working for H. M. Kendall, for the past year, he returned to his home in Nova Scotia. Quite a number of people from this place attended the dance at Newry Center, the 17. Cakes and coffee were served. A nice time was reported. L. L. Hurl and wife are working for H. M. Kendall.

NORTHWEST BETHEL.

Ray Bennett was home from last night for a day or two, recently. Henry Bennett took a day's vacation from his work at the mill, the 17th. They report a very enjoyable time. Mr. Jack Chapman is in Portland for a few days. J. E. Mann of Bethel, after H. A. Hurl of Portland, Alfred Dean of North Paris and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kendall of Newry were in town, Sunday, to attend the funeral of the late Sylvanus Mann.

That Anonymous Poet.
That Anonymous Poet I want to see your husband. How can I see him? Red D. H. Hurl. That anonymous poet is I and you are through the window, and I wanted to see a few away back - Bethel's life.

Supper.
"What is an excellent dish?"
"It's a lamb chop on a big apple. Lamb chop, like a lamb chop, is a good thing to eat." - Washington Times.

A CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank all those who so kindly assisted in the funeral of our dear friend, Mr. H. M. Kendall, who died on the 17th. We are especially indebted to Mr. H. M. Kendall, who was so kind to attend the funeral. We are also indebted to Mr. H. M. Kendall, who was so kind to attend the funeral. We are also indebted to Mr. H. M. Kendall, who was so kind to attend the funeral.

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NEWS FROM THE COURT ROOM.

Some of the Doings of the Supreme Court.

The March term of the Supreme Judicial court convened Tuesday morning, Mar. 14. Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor of the Universalist church of Norway, offered prayer.

March Term, 1911.
Justice Presiding—Hon. Albert B. Savage.

Clerk—Charles F. Whitman.
Sergeant—W. H. Conforth.
County Attorney—Ralph T. Parker.
Sheriff—Herbert G. McIntire.
Jailer—Harry D. Cole.
Clerk—Samuel H. Eaton.
Librarian—Walter L. Gray.
Messenger—Guy E. Dudley, Waterford.

The grand jury were called immediately and entered upon their duties at once.

Grand Jury.
Ole Andrews, Lovell, Foreman.
C. R. Abbott, Rumford.
Walter M. Andrews, Dixfield.
Fred E. Berry, Paris.
Freeman Chamberlain, Brownfield.
Elinor G. Child, Paris.
J. W. Cobb, Bethel.
George P. Fox, Portland.
Bert W. Goodwin, Mexico.
Harry E. Jordan, Bethel.
Frank Merrill, Norway.
A. G. Moore, Waterford.
A. A. Newell, Oxford.
W. A. Paul, Canaan.
A. D. Thayer, Oxford.

The traverse jurors were called and impaneled as follows:

1st Panel.
M. M. Hurl, Waterford, Foreman.
Cullen Abbott, Woodstock.
Howard C. Cox, Oxford.
Jabez W. Dean, Hartford.
Frank Harmon, Lovell.
T. G. Lory, Oxford.
Frank McAllister, Stockholm.
William L. Paul, Dixfield.
G. H. Nash, Norway.
C. P. Tripp, Canaan.
Clarence W. Shaw, Bethel.
Walter L. Welch, Mexico.
2nd Panel.
John E. Stephens, Rumford, Foreman.
Samuel N. Adams, Brownfield.
George Allen, Hebron.
Edwin A. Barker, Bethel.
Donald H. Dean, Paris.
Ellen L. Dean, Greenwood.
L. L. Kimball, Albany.
Arthur P. Merrill, Norway.
Gustave O. Morton, Paris.
Merrill H. Oldham, Paris.
Herbert H. Riddle, Paris.
Elihu H. Young, Bethel.
3rd Panel.
Fred C. Davis, Fryburg.
D. J. McCoy, Rumford.
Emory P. Tibbitts, Denmark.

ROWE VS. HILL.

The first case taken up was Wesley P. Rowe vs. Hill. The plaintiff, Mr. Rowe, was a farmer, and the defendant, Mr. Hill, was a merchant. The case was taken up on a writ of habeas corpus. The court found in favor of the plaintiff, and the writ was granted.

The defendant claimed that while the accident occurred at their mill it was not due to any negligence or carelessness on the part of Mr. Hill and that the machine was in good working condition as far as he knew. They claimed that the accident was purely an "accident" caused by the carelessness of the plaintiff. The case was given to the jury a little after 10 o'clock. The jury was allowed to go out to a restaurant for dinner, but with the exception of that time was not until after 5 o'clock in the afternoon, when it returned a verdict for the plaintiff of \$500.

HAYWARD VS. DAVIS ADMINISTRATION.

Immediately after the Rowe case was taken up, the case of Hayward vs. Davis Administration was taken up. The plaintiff, Mr. Hayward, was a farmer, and the defendant, Mr. Davis, was a merchant. The case was taken up on a writ of habeas corpus. The court found in favor of the plaintiff, and the writ was granted.

McCRILLIN VS. TEBBETS.

The case of McCrillin vs. Tebbets was taken up. The plaintiff, Mr. McCrillin, was a farmer, and the defendant, Mr. Tebbets, was a merchant. The case was taken up on a writ of habeas corpus. The court found in favor of the plaintiff, and the writ was granted.

THE CRIMINAL BUSINESS.

The grand jury did not have so strenuous a time as at some terms, but kept busy until Friday forenoon. At about 11 o'clock they were finally excused, reporting the following indictments:

William Bulman and Alfred Bulman, Breaking and entering and larceny.
George H. Harvey, Assault. Two indictments.
A. Mont, Chase, Nuisance.
Bell Dicalino and Salvatore Dicalino, Nuisance.
Charles Stasile, alias Mike Bennett, Nuisance.
B. Belk, Nuisance.
Charles Bonk, Nuisance.
Joe Louisa, Nuisance.
Frank Janssen, Nuisance.
George W. Carstairs, Nuisance.
Peter Bouchard, Nuisance.
John Wain, Nuisance, two indictments.
George A. Johnson and William Thatcher, Nuisance.
John Gillis, Common seller.
Joy L. Gregory, Common seller.
George A. Johnson and William Thatcher, Keeping and depositing.
Fred Howell, Keeping and depositing.
Charles Stasile, alias Mike Bennett, Keeping and depositing.
Theodore M. Twickell, Intent to extort money.
George Bradley and Wilfred Willard, Three indictments, two for breaking and entering, one for larceny.
Willie Provost, Gun Provost, Wilfred Willard and George Bradley, Breaking and entering.
Stanley Barnes and Victor Vechna, Forgery.

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GOING BEFORE.

Back, the angel of death has come and taken away our loved one away. Hence him out of the shadows into the light of day.

He so softly called our darling, He alone his voice could hear, We could only feel his presence As he hovered, Oh, so near.

We shall miss thee, kindred husband, We shall miss thy sweet face, No one else, however dear, Can ever fill thy vacant place.

We shall miss thee in the morning, And when twilight comes case were, We shall feel anew the longing For our darling gone before.

Good-bye at the Master's bidding, To this God's angel band, He is now a happy spirit In that bright and peaceful land.

They sleep on, their best beloved, Wake no more in earthly strife, They have gained a crown of glory In that pure and perfect life.

We can leave thee, safely leave thee In the shelter of God's love, Knowing we shall meet thee darling In the morning up above.

And thou wilt greetest Father, Listen to our most fervent prayer, Please to guide and guard us ever, Till we meet our loved one there.

Henry, Maine.

W. E. BOSSEKMAN'S SUCCESS.

W. E. Bossekman, the enterprising druggist, has just received a large order of medicine from the United States Government. The order was for a large quantity of medicine, and was a great success for Mr. Bossekman. The medicine was for the treatment of a disease, and was a great success for Mr. Bossekman.

SOUTH PARIS.

Raymond Penfold is spending the week in Portland with the family of his brother, Ralph.

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Mrs. Milton McAllister of Salem, N. H., is here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Barrows.

Ralph E. Sturtevant was operated on for appendicitis at his home here, last Tuesday. Dr. Webber of Lewiston performed the operation.

T. G. Lory of Oxford and D. J. McCoy of Rumford, who are here to serve on the jury, spent Sunday at their homes.

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Alfred B. Jackson will soon open a grocery store, in the store owned by George A. Briggs, recently occupied by the A. E. Shurtliff Co., and previous to that, by Mrs. Lottie Cook Wheeler's candy store.

Miss Charlotte Giles and Grace Dudley entertained the Delta Alpha at Miss Dudley's, Thursday evening. Games were played and refreshments served.

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March 23.

Taking the Usual Precautions. "Mary," said Mr. Borseman, "if you have any regard for the moral well being of the children you'd better send them over to the neighbors for the first dose of 'two'."

"What?" asked Mrs. Borseman. "Two?"

"Two," answered, with a cold, maternal gleam in his eye. "I'm going to take down the worm dose and put on the green dress and wear that hair."

Life Guards. The life guards are two regiments of cavalry forming part of the British mounted troops. They are gallant soldiers and carry their British heart in their hands. Not only the King's household, but every one, everybody, should have its life guards. The need of them is especially great when the greatest fear of life, disease, and death is the very element, as cold, indigestion, dizziness, nerve trouble, indigestion or a general plethoric condition, ought to take advantage of this chance. You can tell your friends that if they are not satisfied with the specific that they can come right back to my store and I will cheerfully refund their money."

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Pleasant Reveries—A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Ring While You Work.

A merry heart goes all the day, and one tire in a mile. Happiness on the way for duty. As tears blind the eyes, so sighs weaken the arm. Cheerfulness is conducive to health, strength and success. It was Thomas Carlyle who exclaimed: "Oh, give us the man who sings at his work."

Sunshine.

Sunlight is the best tonic in the world, and blessed are those whose kitchens and workrooms have a goodly share of it from early morn till golden noon. Then, as the sun moves on the shutters, and in mild weather, the windows of the other rooms should be thrown open so that the cheerful radiance may freely enter. No dreary shut-up parlors or sitting-rooms for me. What matters if the carpet should fade a bit in time beneath the warmth of the sun-glowing light? A faded carpet is to be preferred to faded cheeks.

The gloomiest house I ever was in was one from which the sunshine was rigidly excluded, and the poor children who grew up there were like beings raised in the moonlight, so pale and wan were they. The sun brings health, cheerfulness and happiness with its rays. So, especially, have the children's room sunny, and rouse them in the morning with an enthusiastic "Wake, darling, and see the beautiful sunshine!"

Worrying Woman.

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The Cause of Colds and a Safe Cure.

A common cause of many colds is the sudden checking of the unconscious perspiration by exposure to a change of temperature. Colds, whether taking the form of Coryza with sneezing, running nose, and perhaps sore throat, or with chilly and feverish symptoms, should never be neglected in the earliest stages. Serious illness often results from such neglect.

It is well to get early to bed, to get the body well warmed, and most important to have the bowels move freely. There is no safer or better remedy to use at the beginning of a cold than "Dr. T. F. Atwood's medicine." Two to four teaspoonfuls will quickly relieve congested conditions, drive out impurities from the system and ward off further trouble. Always keep a bottle in the house. Any dealer will supply you for thirty-five cents. If you have never used them, write today for a free sample to the T. F. Medicine Co., Portland, Maine.

NEWBY.

Mrs. Littlehale fell last Friday night and broke her hip. Her son, Leslie, from Rockland is with her for a few days. Dr. Tibbitts of Bethel attends her.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Thurston went to Hebron, last Saturday, to attend the prize speaking.

Rob. Egan and D. C. Smith are handling bar to Bethel.

Mrs. L. F. Bartlett of Sunday River is in town, visiting friends.

WEST SUMMER.
Mrs. Atwood has been the guest of her sister, Miss Stone.

Mrs. Abbie Bates has returned home from Rockland, where she has been spending the winter.

Mabel Buck is working for Mrs. E. G. Doble, who has been sick, but is better at this writing.

Leone A. Yeck is spending a few weeks with her parents.

Mrs. Ella Chandler is on the sick list.

Mrs. Della Stetson is very sick at this writing.

Possibly.

"What is this howl about the drama?"

"Probably because they've been trying it on the dog."—Baltimore American.

BOSTON INSURANCE COMPANY.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.

Real Estate	\$ 34,000.00
Mortgage Loans	619,800.00
Collateral Loans	53,600.00
Stocks and Bonds	4,769,245.00
Cash in Office and Bank	444,234.00
Agents' Balances	516,744.11
Interest and Rents	61,661.69
All other Assets	1,938.57
Gross Assets	\$6,499,608.67
Deduct items not admitted	26,318.03
Admitted Assets	\$6,473,290.64
Net Unpaid Losses	\$ 403,468.39
Unearned Premiums	\$ 1,945,027.71
All other Liabilities	\$ 140,757.24
Cash Capital	\$ 1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$ 2,981,010.91
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$6,473,290.64

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South Paris, Me.

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EQUITABLE ACCIDENT COMPANY.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.

Mortgage Loans	\$ 2,250.00
Collateral Loans	10,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	171,718.55
Cash in Office and Bank	14,018.88
Agents' Balances	526.85
Interest and Rents	2,111.51
Gross Assets	\$200,725.79
Deduct items not admitted	531.25
Admitted Assets	\$200,194.54
Net Unpaid Losses	\$ 8,147.50
Unearned Premiums	\$ 13,717.50
All other Liabilities	\$ 1,862.63
Cash Capital	\$ 160,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$ 76,625.81
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$200,194.54

323 31. F

CITY OF NEW YORK INSURANCE CO., NEW YORK.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.

Mortgage Loans	\$ 816,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	\$ 1,189,214.13
Cash in Office and Bank	\$ 53,110.00
Agents' Balances	\$ 122,656.24
Interest and Rents	\$ 7,182.83
Gross Assets	\$1,298,163.20
Deduct items not admitted	\$ 73,161.49
Admitted Assets	\$1,224,991.71
Net Unpaid Losses	\$ 31,567.81
Unearned Premiums	\$ 432,318.31
All other Liabilities	\$ 23,734.23
Cash Capital	\$ 500,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$ 481,161.36
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$1,224,991.71

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MAINE CENTRAL RAILROAD

In Effect October 10, 1910.

Trains leave Rumford Falls at 8:00 a. m., 2:35 p. m., week days; for Lewiston, Portland and Boston, 4:30 p. m., for Orono. Sundays at 2:05 p. m., for Portland and Boston, via Livermore.

Trains arrive in Rumford Falls at 10:05 a. m., 4:10 p. m., from Lewiston, Portland and Boston, 8:40 a. m., from Orono. Sundays at 12:15 p. m., from Portland and Lewiston, via Livermore.

All trains run daily except Sunday. MORRIS McDONALD, Vice President & General Manager. F. E. BOOTHBY, General Passenger Agent.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

Time Table Effective Oct. 25th, 1910.

EAST BOUND.

Stations.	No. 4 Daily	No. 6 Ex. Sun. Daily	No. 1 P.M.
Lewiston	leave 3:45	8:05	7:00
Portland	4:00	8:20	7:15
South Paris	4:24	8:40	7:34
West Bethel	4:35	8:51	7:45
BETHEL	4:40	9:01	7:51
Locke's Mills		9:11	8:00
Bryan's Pond	5:05	9:30	8:08
South Paris	5:26	9:50	8:28
Lewiston	5:40	10:05	8:45
Portland	7:30	11:45	8:30

WEST BOUND.

Stations

THE OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN, THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 1911.

THE METROPOLITAN CASUALTY INS. CO. OF N. Y.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Stocks and Bonds, \$631,917.50
 Cash in Office and Bank, 119,079.82
 Agents' Balances, 4,824.14
 Interest and Rents, 4,824.14

Gross Assets, \$859,645.50
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$20,506.72
 Unearned Premiums, 490,204.17
 All other Liabilities, 48,933.63
 Cash Capital, 200,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 102,415.32

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$859,645.50
 L. H. VEILLEUX, Agent, Rumford Falls, Me.

3-16-31, G.

OLD COLONY INSURANCE COMPANY, BOSTON, MASS.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$1,289.53
 Mortgage Loans, 33,000.00
 Stocks and Bonds, 716,794.00
 Cash in Office and Bank, 33,948.28
 Agents' Balances, 63,120.83
 Interest and Rents, 3,135.00
 All other Assets, 200.00

Gross Assets, \$870,487.61
 Deduct Items not admitted, 1,222.12
 Admitted Assets, \$869,265.49
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$47,988.16
 Unearned Premiums, 335,270.20
 All other Liabilities, 9,537.32
 Cash Capital, 400,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, \$2,489.83

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$869,265.49
 W. J. WHEELER & CO., Agents, South Paris, Me.

3-16-31, G.

LLOYD'S PLATE GLASS INSURANCE COMPANY, N. Y.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$265,000.00
 Mortgage Loans, 15,000.00
 Stocks and Bonds, 507,362.33
 Cash in Office and Bank, 15,757.80
 Agents' Balances, 135,444.73
 Interest and Rents, 3,630.64
 All other Assets, 4,850.81

Gross Assets, \$1,007,096.45
 Deduct Items not admitted, 88,937.12
 Admitted Assets, \$918,159.33
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$30,608.71
 Unearned Premiums, 232,421.18
 All other Liabilities, 39,226.11
 Cash Capital, 250,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 309,700.33

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$918,159.33
 3-16-31, G.

MANNHEIM INSURANCE CO., MANNHEIM, GERMANY.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Stocks and Bonds, \$534,592.84
 Cash in Office and Bank, 12,746.80
 Agents' Balances, 184,833.50
 Bills Receivable, 4,810.43
 Interest and Rents, 4,833.20
 All other Assets, 10,000.00

Gross Assets, \$753,917.23
 Deduct Items not admitted, 22,171.16
 Admitted Assets, \$731,746.07
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$112,774.70
 Unearned Premiums, 297,347.14
 All other Liabilities, 25,000.00
 Cash Capital, 200,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 66,124.23

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$731,746.07
 E. L. LOVEJOY, Agent, Rumford Falls, Me.

3-16-31, G.

UNITED STATES FIDELITY & GUARANTY CO. OF BALTIMORE, M. D.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$234,312.84
 Mortgage Loans, 2,500.00
 Collateral Loans, 119,043.00
 Stocks and Bonds, Market Value, 429,638.83
 Cash in Office and Bank, 604,832.29
 Agents' Balances, 572,808.17
 Interest and Rents, 33,573.63
 All other Assets, 160,184.83

Gross Assets, \$1,813,685.18
 Deduct Items not admitted, 571,517.41
 Admitted Assets, \$1,242,167.77
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$84,522.16
 Unearned Premiums, 1,000,000.00
 All other Liabilities, 200,000.00
 Cash Capital, 200,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 177,645.61

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$1,242,167.77
 W. J. WHEELER & CO., Agents, South Paris, Me.

3-16-31, F.

WILLIAMSBURG CITY FIRE INS. CO., BROOKLYN, N. Y.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$20,000.00
 Mortgage Loans, 302,100.00
 Stocks and Bonds, 1,855,350.00
 Cash in Office and Bank, 413,290.13
 Agents' Balances, 314,673.05
 Bills Receivable, 16,143.40
 Interest and Rents, 17,730.01
 All other Assets, 5,158.78

Gross Assets, \$2,844,451.37
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$180,412.65
 Unearned Premiums, 1,710,604.10
 All other Liabilities, 35,886.45
 Cash Capital, 250,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 667,548.17

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$2,844,451.37
 3-16-31, G.

UNITED STATES CASUALTY COMPANY, 141 Broadway, New York City, N. Y.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$4,000.00
 Mortgage Loans, \$77,000.00
 Stocks and Bonds, 2,121,608.10
 Cash in Office and Bank, 118,243.84
 Cash in the hands of Resident Mgrs. and Adjusters, 3,000.00
 Bills Receivable, 180.10
 Interest and Rents, 12,747.46
 Premiums in course of collection, 266,911.91

Gross Assets, \$2,745,091.57
 Deduct Items not admitted, 119,263.26
 Admitted Assets, \$2,625,828.31
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$181,784.54
 Additional Special Reserve for Claims, 100,000.00
 Unearned Premiums, 335,274.15
 Reserve for losses not reported, 15,000.00
 All other Liabilities, 143,762.62
 Cash Capital, 500,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 800,000.00

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$2,625,828.31
 3-16-31, G.

THE TRAVELERS INDEMNITY COMPANY, 700 Main St., Hartford, Conn.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Mortgage Loans, \$528,380.00
 Collateral Loans, 159,775.00
 Stocks and Bonds, 563,319.87
 Cash in Office and Bank, 23,677.70
 Interest and Rents, 22,159.30
 All other Assets, 63,203.80

Gross Assets, \$1,665,495.76
 Deduct Items not admitted, 6,890.76
 Admitted Assets, \$1,658,605.00
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$51,217.57
 Unearned Premiums, 311,869.71
 All other Liabilities, 329,196.00
 Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 262,735.76

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$1,658,605.00
 3-16-31, G.

THE STANDARD ACCIDENT INSURANCE CO. OF DETROIT MICH.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$1,050.00
 Mortgage Loans, 201,003.01
 Stocks and Bonds, 2,948,573.63
 Cash in Office and Bank, 181,536.42
 Interest and Rents, 22,907.53
 All other Assets, 462,112.20

Gross Assets, \$3,848,782.57
 Deduct Items not admitted, 28,147.85
 Admitted Assets, \$3,820,634.72
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$296,815.05
 Unearned Premiums, 1,013,122.03
 All other Liabilities, 244,259.14
 Cash Capital, 250,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 1,276,538.54

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$3,820,634.72
 3-16-31, G.

NORTH AMERICAN ACCIDENT INSURANCE CO. CHICAGO, ILL.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Mortgage Loans, \$141,000.00
 Collateral Loans, 47,400.00
 Stocks and Bonds, 433,310.00
 Cash in Office and Bank, 45,417.64
 Agents' Balances, 35,808.84
 Interest and Rents, 4,125.00
 All other Assets, 10,000.00

Gross Assets, \$713,055.44
 Deduct Items not admitted, 571,517.41
 Admitted Assets, \$141,538.03
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$84,522.16
 Unearned Premiums, 1,000,000.00
 All other Liabilities, 200,000.00
 Cash Capital, 200,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 177,645.61

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$141,538.03
 3-16-31, G.

NEW YORK PLATE GLASS INSURANCE CO. NEW YORK.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Stocks and Bonds, \$922,224.47
 Cash in Office and Bank, 31,266.46
 Agents' Balances, 317,272.73
 Interest and Rents, 2,991.50

Gross Assets, \$1,273,755.16
 Deduct Items not admitted, 28,147.85
 Admitted Assets, \$1,245,607.31
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$84,522.16
 Unearned Premiums, 1,000,000.00
 All other Liabilities, 200,000.00
 Cash Capital, 200,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 177,645.61

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$1,245,607.31
 3-16-31, G.

Cash Capital, 200,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, 309,061.57
 Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$721,451.25
 EDWIN COMSTOCK, Agent, Dixfield, Oxford County, Me.

3-16-31, G.

TRADESMEN'S MECHANICS INS. CO., LOWELL, MASS.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$17,000.00
 Mortgage Loans, 47,677.60
 Collateral Loans, 17,100.00
 Stocks and Bonds, 319,895.00
 Cash in Office and Bank, 2,665.25
 Agents' Balances, 11,587.51
 All other Assets, 5,717.93

Gross Assets, \$301,243.33
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$3,750.78
 Unearned Premiums, 342,672.89
 All other Liabilities, 10,064.17
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 259,749.68

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$301,243.33
 WALLACE E. TARBON, Agent, Fryeburg, Me.

3-16-31, F.

SCOTTISH UNION & NATIONAL INSURANCE CO., EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$41,036.53
 Mortgage Loans, 312,622.60
 Stocks and Bonds, 4,656,447.18
 Cash in Office and Bank, 130,593.19
 Agents' Balances, 523,211.51
 Interest and Rents, 70,432.25

Gross Assets, \$5,533,943.27
 Deduct Items not admitted, 370,454.10
 Admitted Assets, \$5,163,489.17
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$230,104.54
 Unearned Premiums, 1,897,767.56
 All other Liabilities, 40,000.00
 Cash Capital, 200,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 2,893,166.97

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$5,163,489.17
 RUMFORD FALLS INS. AGENCY, Agent, Rumford Falls, Me.

3-16-31, F.

NEW HAMPSHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER, N. H.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$121,250.00
 Mortgage Loans, 137,600.00
 Stocks and Bonds, 4,831,323.36
 Cash in Office and Bank, 254,960.25
 Agents' Balances, 323,181.62
 Interest and Rents, 44,413.46

Gross Assets, \$5,533,943.27
 Deduct Items not admitted, 370,454.10
 Admitted Assets, \$5,163,489.17
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$230,104.54
 Unearned Premiums, 1,897,767.56
 All other Liabilities, 40,000.00
 Cash Capital, 200,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 2,893,166.97

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$5,163,489.17
 RUMFORD FALLS INS. AGENCY, Agent, Rumford Falls, Me.

3-16-31, F.

DELAWARE INS. CO. OF PHILA., DELPHIA.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$200,000.00
 Mortgage Loans, 107,000.00
 Collateral Loans, 4,000.00
 Stocks and Bonds, 1,598,743.76
 Cash in Office and Bank, 82,813.23
 Agents' Balances, 44,371.89
 Interest and Rents, 450.00

Gross Assets, \$2,333,275.84
 Deduct Items not admitted, 23,332.43
 Admitted Assets, \$2,309,943.41
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$181,231.00
 Unearned Premiums, 1,418,231.42
 All other Liabilities, 29,381.65
 Cash Capital, 400,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 180,940.44

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$2,309,943.41
 JOHN CHADBOUEN, Agent, South Paris, Me.

3-16-31, F.

NEW YORK PLATE GLASS INSURANCE CO. NEW YORK.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Stocks and Bonds, \$922,224.47
 Cash in Office and Bank, 31,266.46
 Agents' Balances, 317,272.73
 Interest and Rents, 2,991.50

Gross Assets, \$1,273,755.16
 Deduct Items not admitted, 28,147.85
 Admitted Assets, \$1,245,607.31
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$84,522.16
 Unearned Premiums, 1,000,000.00
 All other Liabilities, 200,000.00
 Cash Capital, 200,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 177,645.61

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$1,245,607.31
 3-16-31, F.

Cash Capital, 200,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, 336,372.80
 Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$927,841.01
 3-16-31, F.

SECURITY INSURANCE CO., NEW HAVEN, CONNECTICUT.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$200,000.00
 Mortgage Loans, 156,200.00
 Collateral Loans, 77,450.00
 Stocks and Bonds, 2,329,598.07
 Cash in Office and Bank, 71,472.45
 Agents' Balances, 261,087.86
 Bills Receivable, 41,867.54
 Interest and Rents, 14,122.43
 All other Assets, 2,244.79

Gross Assets, \$3,320,724.65
 Deduct Items not admitted, 270.69
 Admitted Assets, \$3,319,453.96
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$178,948.24
 Unearned Premiums, 1,559,840.71
 All other Liabilities, 41,867.54
 Cash Capital, 700,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 639,798.05

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$3,319,453.96
 LOUIS H. VEILLEUX, Agent, Rumford Falls, Me.

3-16-31, F.

THE FIDELITY AND CASUALTY CO. OF NEW YORK, 92-94 LIBERTY ST., 97-103 CEDAR ST., NEW YORK CITY.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$239,803.60
 Mortgage Loans, 5,000.00
 Collateral Loans, 7,000,844.50
 Stocks and Bonds, 7,000,844.50
 Cash in Office and Bank, 276,457.10
 Agents' Balances and Surplus, 36,990.04
 Bills Receivable, 7,250.00
 Interest and Rents, 42,205.65
 All other Assets, 1,319,032.67

Gross Assets, \$19,154,033.62
 Deduct Items not admitted, 294,693.37
 Admitted Assets, \$18,859,340.25
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$230,257.38
 Unearned Premiums, 4,330,257.39
 All other Liabilities, 533,683.64
 Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 1,045,235.84

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$18,859,340.25
 FREELAND HOWE, Agent, Norway, Me.

3-16-31, F.

HANOVER FIRE INSURANCE CO., NEW YORK.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$1,129,473.00
 Mortgage Loans, 3,500.00
 Stocks and Bonds, 5,075,364.00
 Cash in Office and Bank, 188,916.11
 Agents' Balances, 339,335.95
 Interest and Rents, 30,699.24
 All other Assets, 18,214.24

Gross Assets, \$8,266,678.34
 Deduct Items not admitted, 3,757.23
 Admitted Assets, \$8,262,921.11
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$212,650.90
 Unearned Premiums, 2,310,687.15
 All other Liabilities, 102,855.97
 Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 1,249,519.46

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$8,262,921.11
 H. L. ELLIOTT, Agent, Rumford Falls, Me.

3-16-31, F.

AMERICAN SURETY CO. OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$4,164,617.81
 Mortgage Loans, 197,194.67
 Stocks and Bonds, 3,833,992.10
 Cash in Office and Bank, 835,834.07
 Agents' Balances, 429,339.25
 Bills Receivable, 40,412.08
 Interest and Rents, 2,128.19

Gross Assets, \$8,645,293.68
 Deduct Items not admitted, 299,044.03
 Admitted Assets, \$8,346,249.65
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$823,467.48
 Unearned Premiums, 3,777,222.98
 All other Liabilities, 126,572.83
 Cash Capital, 2,000,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 2,465,069.37

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$8,346,249.65
 H. H. HASTINGS, Agent, Bethel, Me.

3-16-31, F.

ALBERT J. STERN, Agent, Norway, Me.

3-16-31, F.

MARYLAND CASUALTY CO., BALTIMORE, MARYLAND.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$331,171.00
 Mortgage Loans, 268,916.82
 Stocks and Bonds, 4,571,616.12
 Cash in Office and Bank, 159,028.83
 Agents' Balances, 17,983.35

Gross Assets, \$5,369,716.12
 Deduct Items not admitted, 28,147.85
 Admitted Assets, \$5,341,568.27
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$84,522.16
 Unearned Premiums, 1,000,000.00
 All other Liabilities, 200,000.00
 Cash Capital, 200,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 177,645.61

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$5,341,568.27
 3-16-31, F.

Bills Receivable, 6,963.70

Interest and Rents, 26,023.82
 All other Assets, 2,237.25
 Gross Assets, \$5,795,507.65
 Deduct Items not admitted, 71,236.29
 Admitted Assets, \$5,724,271.36
 LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1910.
 Net Unpaid Losses, \$1,170,040.59
 Unearned Premiums, 2,108,896.06
 All other Liabilities, 293,707.24
 Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00
 Surplus over all Liabilities, 1,142,818.24

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$5,724,271.36
 RALPH A. CURTIS, Agent, Rumford Falls, Me.

3-16-31, F.

THE HOME INSURANCE COMPANY, NEW YORK.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1910.
 Real Estate, \$1,150,000.00
 Mortgage Loans, 48,300.00

Is due to the debilitating weather of the season, and to the impure, impoverished, devitalized condition of the blood caused by too close confinement, too little outdoor air and exercise, too heavy diet during the winter.

which affects the wonderful cure, not simply because it contains Sarsaparilla, but because it contains the utmost remedial value of more than twenty different ingredients. There is no real substitute for Hood's Sarsaparilla. It tends to buy any preparation sold to be "just as good," you may be sure it is inferior, worth less to make, and yields the dealer a larger profit. 100 Dose II.

postponement of the bill to take the "fisher" out of the statute—in other words the law making it optional to sentence a convicted man to either fine or imprisonment where the specific fines are less and imprisonment. This bill, which was incidentally postponed in the same as the Hastings bill which was vetoed by Governor Fernald two years ago.

DR. G. JORDAN, NAMI, NAMI

The Department of the Interior of the United States has been authorized to provide for the establishment of a National Bureau of Investigation, to be known as the Bureau of Investigation, to be organized and operated in accordance with the provisions of the Act of March 3, 1875, and to be under the direct control and supervision of the Secretary of the Department of the Interior.

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will take more time to throw out the money. Now, time is money, especially with hired help demanding present wages. It is cheaper to use them as students than to fuss with a repair man.

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that Has Had the Test of
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Some preachers are afraid to give an outspoken opinion on any remedy, however highly they may esteem it. Others are not afraid.

One of those who is not afraid is quoted below. Read what he says. He means every word of it. If you doubt it write him a letter, enclosing a stamp. He will tell you what he thinks.



use a problem of sheep maintenance during the remaining months of the year. In order to secure the greatest efficiency in feeding the grain should be adapted to the various seasons of



the necessity of branding good horses
to good stallions. The value of time
and feed is too much to waste upon a
poor horse when the same feed and
care will grow a first class animal.

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What a wonderful day! Everything
was so very beautiful.
The day was so beautiful and
the people were so friendly and
the food was so good.
I had a wonderful time and
I will never forget it.
I hope to go back soon.

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